

The Department of Human Services is committed to providing the most fair and accurate guideline model possible to the citizens of Tennessee for the establishment and modification of child support orders. The Income Shares Advisory Committee has been established to review the current child support guidelines for Tennessee and give suggestions, advice and recommendations on the many issues surrounding the Income Shares Model.

The committee members consists of varies persons with the expertise and experience with child support issues. The Income Shares Advisory Committee held its first meeting on April 28, 2005 the committee is scheduled to met on the following dates: June 1, July 13, August 18, and September 15, 2005. The meetings will take place at Citizens Plaza State Office Building, 15th Floor Auditorium, 400 Deaderick Street, Nashville, TN 37248 at 10:00 a.m. (Central Time).

Any individuals with disabilities who wish to participate in these meetings should contact the Department of Human Services at 615-313-4731 to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed for participation. Initial contact may be made no less than ten (10) days prior to the scheduled meeting dates, to allow time for the Department of Human Services to determine how it may reasonably provide such aid or services.

For questions concerning the committee, please contact Connie Wilkes, Legal Assistant, Citizens Plaza Building, 400 Deaderick Street, Nashville, Tennessee, 37248 and (615) 313-4731 or e-mail at conswella.r.wilkes@state.tn.us.